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FM AMEMBASSY COPENHAGEN  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1198

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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: OVIP, DA

SUBJECT: QUEEN'S VISIT TO USA

1. LORD CHAMBERLAIN COUNT KNUTH-WINTERFELDT LUNCHEDE WITH ME AND STRESSED THE QUEEN'S WISH TO MAKE AT LEAST TWO DAYS OF HER VISIT TO WASHINGTON IN MAY OF NEXT YEAR OFFICIAL. COUNTERARY TO A RECENT REPORT FROMAMBASSADOR BARTELS IN WASHINGTON HE HAS DOUBTS THAT THE QUEEN WOULD COME ANYWAY IF HER VISIT WAS NOT AN OFFICIAL ONE.

2. HE SAID THE QUEEN FEELS AN OFFICIAL VISIT TO WASHINGTON IS PARTICULARLY IMPORTANT IN THAT SHE HAS JUST BEEN GIVEN A VERY OFFICIAL RECEPTION BY THE RUSSIANS AND THE CONTRAST OF AN UNOFFICIAL JOURNEYTO AMERICA WOULD NOT BE IN OUR FAVOR.

3. HE ALSO POINTED OUT THAT THERE IS REALLY NO PRECEDENT IN THE FACT THAT THE KINGS OF SWEDEN AND NORWAY ARE MAKING UNFFICIAL VISITS AT THAT TIME. SWEDEN IS NOHA NATO ALLY AND THE NORWEIGAN KING HAS ALREADY MADE AN OFFICIAL VISIT TO THE USA.

4. THERE IS ALSO THE FACT THAT THE QUEEN OF ENGLAND WILL BE MAKING AN OFFICIAL VISIT AND HISTORY RECORDS THAT DENMARK EXCHANGED DIPLOMATIC REPRESENTATIVES WITH THE NEW AMERICAN REPUBLIC WELL BEFORE THE COURT OF ST. JAMES.

5. COMMENT: FROM TALKS I HAVE HAD WITH THE QUEEN ABOUT  
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HER TRIP I KNOW SHE LOOKS FORWARD TO IT A GREAT DEAL AND I

SINCERELY BELIEVE THAT HER FEELINGS MIGHT BE HURT IF SHE IS  
UNABLE TO BE TREATED AS AN OFFICIAL GUEST FOR A SHORT PERIOD.  
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